

Fill in this information to identify your case:

United States Bankruptcy Court for the:

Northern District of: Illinois  
(State)

Case number (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter you are filing under:

- ☐ Chapter 7  
☐ Chapter 11  
☐ Chapter 12  
☒ Chapter 13

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

## Official Form 101

# Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

12/15

The bankruptcy forms use *you* and *Debtor 1* to refer to a debtor filing alone. A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*—and in joint cases, these forms use *you* to ask for information from both debtors. For example, if a form asks, "Do you own a car," the answer would be yes if either debtor owns a car. When information is needed about the spouses separately, the form uses *Debtor 1* and *Debtor 2* to distinguish between them. In joint cases, one of the spouses must report information as *Debtor 1* and the other as *Debtor 2*. The same person must be *Debtor 1* in all of the forms.

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every question.

### Part 1: Identify Yourself

	About Debtor 1:	About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):
<b>1. Your full name</b>  Write the name that is on your government-issued picture identification (for example, your driver's license or passport)  Bring your picture identification to your meeting with the trustee.	<b>Kareema</b> First name  <b>G.</b> Middle name  <b>Smith</b> Last name  Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)	First name  Middle name  Last name  Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)
<b>2. All other names you have used in the last 8 years</b>  Include your married or maiden names.	First name  Middle name  Last name  First name  Middle name  Last name	First name  Middle name  Last name  First name  Middle name  Last name
<b>3. Only the last 4 digits of your Social Security number or federal Individual Taxpayer Identification number (ITIN)</b>	XXX - XX- <u>0210</u> OR 9 XX - XX- _____	XXX - XX- _____ OR 9 XX - XX- _____

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)

First Name Middle Name Last Name

**About Debtor 1:**

**About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):**

**4. Any business names and Employer Identification Numbers (EIN) you have used in the last 8 years**

☒ I have not used any business names or EINs.

☐ I have not used any business names or EINs.

Business name

Business name

Business name

Business name

Include trade names and doing business as names

EIN

EIN

EIN

EIN

**5. Where you live**

8813 Buffalo, Apt 1

Number Street

Chicago

Illinois

60617

City

State

Zip Code

Cook

County

**If your mailing address is different from the one above, fill it in here.** Note that the court will send any notices to you at this mailing address.

Number

Street

City

State

Zip Code

**If Debtor 2 lives at a different address:**

Number

Street

City

State

Zip Code

County

**If Debtor 2's mailing address is different from yours, fill it in here.** Note that the court will send any notices to this mailing address.

Number

Street

City

State

Zip Code

**6. Why you are choosing this district to file for bankruptcy**

Check one:

☒ Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.

☐ I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408.)

Check one:

☐ Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.

☐ I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408.)

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)  
First Name Middle Name Last Name

**Part 2: Tell the Court About Your Bankruptcy Case**

**7. The chapter of the Bankruptcy Code you are choosing to file under** *Check one.* (For a brief description of each, see *Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy* (Form B2010)). Also, go to the top of page 1 and check the appropriate box.

☐ Chapter 7  
☐ Chapter 11  
☐ Chapter 12  
☒ Chapter 13

---

**8. How you will pay the fee**

☒ **I will pay the entire fee when I file my petition.** Please check with the clerk's office in your local court for more details about how you may pay. Typically, if you are paying the fee yourself, you may pay with cash, cashier's check, or money order... If your attorney is submitting your payment on your behalf, your attorney may pay with a credit card or check with a pre-printed address.

☐ **I need to pay the fee in installments.** If you choose this option, sign and attach the *Application for Individuals to Pay Your Filing Fee in Installments* (Official Form 103A).

☐ **I request that my fee be waived** (You may request this option only if you are filing for Chapter 7. By law, a judge may, but is not required to, waive your fee, and may do so only if your income is less than 150% of the official poverty line that applies to your family size and you are unable to pay the fee in installments). If you choose this option, you must fill out the *Application to Have the Chapter 7 Filing Fee Waived* (Official Form 103B) and file it with your petition.

---

**9. Have you filed for bankruptcy within the last 8 years?**

☒ No.

☐ Yes. District \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ Case number \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY  
District \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ Case number \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY  
District \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ Case number \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY

---

**10. Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a spouse who is not filing this case with you, or by a business partner, or by an affiliate?**

☒ No.

☐ Yes. Debtor \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_  
District \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ Case number, if known \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY  
Debtor \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_  
District \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ Case number, if known \_\_\_\_\_  
MM / DD / YYYY

---

**11. Do you rent your residence?**

☐ No. Go to line 12.

☒ Yes. Has your landlord obtained an eviction judgment against you and do you want to stay in your residence?

☒ No. Go to line 12.

☐ Yes. Fill out *Initial Statement About an Eviction Judgment Against You* (Form 101A) and file it with this bankruptcy petition.

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)

First Name Middle Name Last Name

**Part 3: Report About Any Businesses You Own as a Sole Proprietor**

12. Are you a sole proprietor of any full- or part-time business?
- ☒ No. Go to Part 4.
- ☐ Yes. Name and location of business

A sole proprietorship is a business you operate as an individual, and is not a separate legal entity such as a corporation, partnership, or LLC.

If you have more than one sole proprietorship, use a separate sheet and attach it to this petition.

Name of business, if any

Number Street

City State Zip Code

Check the appropriate box to describe your business:

- ☐ Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))
- ☐ Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))
- ☐ Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))
- ☐ Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))
- ☐ None of the above

13. Are you filing under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code and are you a small business debtor?

*If you are filing under Chapter 11, the court must know whether you are a small business debtor so that it can set appropriate deadlines. If you indicate that you are a small business debtor, you must attach your most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. § 11 16(1)(B).*

For a definition of small business debtor, see 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).

- ☒ No. I am not filing under Chapter 11.
- ☐ No. I am filing under Chapter 11, but I am NOT a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy Code.
- ☐ Yes. I am filing under Chapter 11 and I am a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy Code.

**Part 4: Report if You Own or Have Any Hazardous Property or Any Property That Needs Immediate Attention**

14. Do you own or have any property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable hazard to public health or safety? Or do you own any property that needs immediate attention?
- ☒ No.
- ☐ Yes. What is the hazard?

If immediate attention is needed, why is it needed?

Where is the property?

Number Street

City State Zip Code

*For example, do you own perishable goods, or livestock that must be fed, or a building that needs urgent repairs?*

Debtor 1 Kareema  
First Name

G.  
Middle Name

Smith  
Last Name

Case number (if known)

**Part 5: Explain Your Efforts to Receive a Briefing About Credit Counseling**

**About Debtor 1:**

*You must check one:*

☒ **I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.**

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

☐ **I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, but I do not have a certificate of completion.**

Within 14 days after you file this bankruptcy petition, you MUST file a copy of the certificate and payment plan, if any.

☐ **I certify that I asked for credit counseling services from an approved agency, but was unable to obtain those services during the 7 days after I made my request, and exigent circumstances merit a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement.**

To ask for a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement, attach a separate sheet explaining what efforts you made to obtain the briefing, why you were unable to obtain it before you filed for bankruptcy, and what exigent circumstances required you to file this case.

Your case may be dismissed if the court is dissatisfied with your reasons for not receiving a briefing before you filed for bankruptcy.

If the court is satisfied with your reasons, you must still receive a briefing within 30 days after you file. You must file a certificate from the approved agency, along with a copy of the payment plan you developed, if any. If you do not do so, your case may be dismissed.

Any extension of the 30-day deadline is granted only for cause and is limited to a maximum of 15 days.

☐ **I am not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling because of:**

☐ **Incapacity.** I have a mental illness or a mental deficiency that makes me incapable of realizing or making rational decisions about finances.

☐ **Disability.** My physical disability causes me to be unable to participate in a briefing in person, by phone, or through the internet, even after I reasonably tried to do so.

☐ **Active duty.** I am currently on active military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver of credit counseling with the court.

**About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):**

*You must check one:*

☐ **I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.**

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

☐ **I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, but I do not have a certificate of completion.**

Within 14 days after you file this bankruptcy petition, you MUST file a copy of the certificate and payment plan, if any.

☐ **I certify that I asked for credit counseling services from an approved agency, but was unable to obtain those services during the 7 days after I made my request, and exigent circumstances merit a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement.**

To ask for a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement, attach a separate sheet explaining what efforts you made to obtain the briefing, why you were unable to obtain it before you filed for bankruptcy, and what exigent circumstances required you to file this case.

Your case may be dismissed if the court is dissatisfied with your reasons for not receiving a briefing before you filed for bankruptcy.

If the court is satisfied with your reasons, you must still receive a briefing within 30 days after you file. You must file a certificate from the approved agency, along with a copy of the payment plan you developed, if any. If you do not do so, your case may be dismissed.

Any extension of the 30-day deadline is granted only for cause and is limited to a maximum of 15 days.

☐ **I am not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling because of:**

☐ **Incapacity.** I have a mental illness or a mental deficiency that makes me incapable of realizing or making rational decisions about finances.

☐ **Disability.** My physical disability causes me to be unable to participate in a briefing in person, by phone, or through the internet, even after I reasonably tried to do so.

☐ **Active duty.** I am currently on active military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver of credit counseling with the court.



Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)

First Name Middle Name Last Name

**Part 6: Answer These Questions for Reporting Purposes**

<b>16. What kind of debts do you have?</b>	<b>16a. Are your debts primarily consumer debts?</b> <i>Consumer debts</i> are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose."		
	<input type="checkbox"/> No. Go to line 16b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes. Go to line 17.		
	<b>16b. Are your debts primarily business debts?</b> <i>Business debts</i> are debts that you incurred to obtain money for a business or investment or through the operation of the business or investment.		
	<input type="checkbox"/> No. Go to line 16c. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Go to line 17.		
	<b>16c.</b> State the type of debts you owe that are not consumer debts or business debts.		
<b>17. Are you filing under Chapter 7?</b> <b>Do you estimate that after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses are paid that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors?</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No. I am not filing under Chapter 7. Go to line 18. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes. I am filing under Chapter 7. Do you estimate that after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses are paid that funds will be available to distribute to unsecured creditors?		
	<input type="checkbox"/> No. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes.		
<b>18. How many creditors do you estimate that you owe?</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1-49 <input type="checkbox"/> 50-99 <input type="checkbox"/> 100-199 <input type="checkbox"/> 200-999	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,000-5,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 5,001-10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 10,001-25,000	<input type="checkbox"/> 25,001-50,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 50,001-100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> More than 100,000
<b>19. How much do you estimate your assets to be worth?</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001-\$1 million	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001-\$500 million	<input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion
<b>20. How much do you estimate your liabilities to be?</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001-\$1 million	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001-\$500 million	<input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion

**Part 7: Sign Below**

<b>For you</b>	<p>I have examined this petition, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided is true and correct.</p> <p>If I have chosen to file under Chapter 7, I am aware that I may proceed, if eligible, under Chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code. I understand the relief available under each chapter, and I choose to proceed under Chapter 7.</p> <p>If no attorney represents me and I did not pay or agree to pay someone who is not an attorney to help me fill out this document, I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).</p> <p>I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.</p> <p>I understand making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.</p>	
	 /s/ Kareema Smith Signature of Debtor 1	 Signature of Debtor 2
	Executed on <u>4/12/2017</u> MM / DD / YYYY	Executed on _____ MM / DD / YYYY

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)  
First Name Middle Name Last Name

**For your attorney, if you are represented by one**

**If you are not represented by an attorney, you do not need to file this page.**

I, the attorney for the debtor(s) named in this petition, declare that I have informed the debtor(s) about eligibility to proceed under Chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each chapter for which the person is eligible. I also certify that I have delivered to the debtor(s) the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) and, in a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, certify that I have no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules filed with the petition is incorrect.

**X**

/s/ Pellumb Hoxha

Signature of Attorney for Debtor

Date

4/12/2017

MM / DD / YYYY

Pellumb Hoxha

Printed name

Semrad Law Firm

Firm name

11101 S. Western Avenue

Street

Chicago

City

Illinois

State

60643

Zip Code

Contact phone

Email address

phoxha@semradlaw.com

Bar number

State

Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1	Kareema	G.	Smith
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)			
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:	Northern	District of	Illinois
			(State)
Case number (if known)			

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

## Official Form 106D

### Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property

12/15

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, copy the Additional Page, fill it out, number the entries, and attach it to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

1. **Do any creditors have claims secured by your property?**

- ☒ No. Check this box and submit this form to the court with your other schedules. You have nothing else to report on this form.
- ☐ Yes. Fill in all of the information below.

**Part 1: List All Secured Claims**

2. **List all secured claims.** If a creditor has more than one secured claim, list the creditor separately for each claim. If more than one creditor has a particular claim, list the other creditors in Part 2. As much as possible, list the claims in alphabetical order according to the creditor's name.

Column A

**Amount of claim**  
Do not deduct the  
value of collateral.

Column B

**Value of  
collateral  
that supports  
this claim**

Column C

**Unsecured  
portion**  
If any



Fill in this information to identify your case:

Debtor 1	Kareema	G.	Smith
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
Debtor 2 (Spouse, if filing)			
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:	Northern	District of	Illinois
			(State)
Case number (if known)			

☐ Check if this is an amended filing

Official Form 106E/F

## Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims

12/15

Be as complete and accurate as possible. Use Part 1 for creditors with PRIORITY claims and Part 2 for creditors with NONPRIORITY claims. List the other party to any executory contracts or unexpired leases that could result in a claim. Also list executory contracts on *Schedule A/B: Property* (Official Form 106A/B) and on *Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases* (Official Form 106G). Do not include any creditors with partially secured claims that are listed in *Schedule D: Creditors Who Hold Claims Secured by Property*. If more space is needed, copy the Part you need, fill it out, number the entries in the boxes on the left. Attach the Continuation Page to this page. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

### Part 1: List All of Your PRIORITY Unsecured Claims

1. Do any creditors have priority unsecured claims against you?

☒ No. Go to Part 2.

☐ Yes.

2. **List all of your priority unsecured claims.** If a creditor has more than one priority unsecured claim, list the creditor separately for each claim. For each claim listed, identify what type of claim it is. If a claim has both priority and nonpriority amounts, list that claim here and show both priority and nonpriority amounts. As much as possible, list the claims in alphabetical order according to the creditor's name. If you have more than two priority unsecured claims, fill out the Continuation Page of Part 1. If more than one creditor holds a particular claim, list the other creditors in Part 3.  
(For an explanation of each type of claim, see the instructions for this form in the instruction booklet.)

Total claim	Priority amount	Nonpriority amount
----------------	--------------------	-----------------------

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)  
First Name Middle Name Last Name

**Part 2: List All of Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims**

**3. Do any creditors have nonpriority unsecured claims against you?**

- ☐ No. You have nothing to report in this part. Submit this form to the court with your other schedules.  
☒ Yes.

**4. List all of your nonpriority unsecured claims in the alphabetical order of the creditor who holds each claim.** If a creditor has more than one priority unsecured claim, list the creditor separately for each claim. For each claim listed, identify what type of claim it is. Do not list claims already included in Part 1. If more than one creditor holds a particular claim, list the other creditors in Part 3. If you have more than four priority unsecured claims fill out the Continuation Page of Part 2.

<p><b>4.1</b> City of Chicago - Parking and red Light Tickets</p> <p>Nonpriority Creditor's Name Department of Revenue - PO Box 88292</p> <p>Number Street</p> <p>Chicago Illinois 60680 City State Zip Code</p> <p><b>Who incurred the debt?</b> Check one.  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 only  <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 2 only  <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only  <input type="checkbox"/> At least one of the debtors and another  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this claim relates to a community debt</p> <p><b>Is the claim subject to offset?</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>	<p><b>Last 4 digits of account number</b> _____</p> <p><b>When was the debt incurred?</b> n/a</p> <p><b>As of the date you file, the claim is:</b> Check all that apply.  <input type="checkbox"/> Contingent  <input type="checkbox"/> Unliquidated  <input type="checkbox"/> Disputed</p> <p><b>Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Student loans  <input type="checkbox"/> Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims  <input type="checkbox"/> Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other. Specify <u>Parking Tickets</u></p>
<p><b>Total claim</b> \$1,400.00</p>	

<p><b>4.2</b> ComEd</p> <p>Nonpriority Creditor's Name 3 Lincoln Center</p> <p>Number Street</p> <p>Bankruptcy Section</p> <p>Oakbrook Terrace Illinois 60181 City State Zip Code</p> <p><b>Who incurred the debt?</b> Check one.  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 only  <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 2 only  <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only  <input type="checkbox"/> At least one of the debtors and another  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this claim relates to a community debt</p> <p><b>Is the claim subject to offset?</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>	<p><b>Last 4 digits of account number</b> _____</p> <p><b>When was the debt incurred?</b> n/a</p> <p><b>As of the date you file, the claim is:</b> Check all that apply.  <input type="checkbox"/> Contingent  <input type="checkbox"/> Unliquidated  <input type="checkbox"/> Disputed</p> <p><b>Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Student loans  <input type="checkbox"/> Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims  <input type="checkbox"/> Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other. Specify <u>Electric Bill</u></p>
<p><b>Total claim</b> \$279.00</p>	

<p><b>4.3</b> CONVERGENT OUTSOURCING</p> <p>Nonpriority Creditor's Name Po Box 9004</p> <p>Number Street</p> <p>Renton Washington 98057 City State Zip Code</p> <p><b>Who incurred the debt?</b> Check one.  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 only  <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 2 only  <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only  <input type="checkbox"/> At least one of the debtors and another  <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this claim relates to a community debt</p> <p><b>Is the claim subject to offset?</b>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>	<p><b>Last 4 digits of account number</b> 0278</p> <p><b>When was the debt incurred?</b> 1/2015</p> <p><b>As of the date you file, the claim is:</b> Check all that apply.  <input type="checkbox"/> Contingent  <input type="checkbox"/> Unliquidated  <input type="checkbox"/> Disputed</p> <p><b>Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:</b>  <input type="checkbox"/> Student loans  <input type="checkbox"/> Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims  <input type="checkbox"/> Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other. Specify <u>001 Collection; Collecting for ORIGINAL CREDITOR: COMCAST</u></p>
<p><b>Total claim</b> \$397.00</p>	

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)

First Name Middle Name Last Name

**Part 2: Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims - Continuation Page**

After listing any entries on this page, number them beginning with 4.5, followed by 4.6, and so forth.		Total claim
4.4	<p><b>CREDIT MANAGEMENT LP</b></p> <p>Nonpriority Creditor's Name</p> <p>PO Box 118288</p> <p>Number Street</p> <p>Carrollton Texas 75011</p> <p>City State Zip Code</p> <p><b>Who incurred the debt?</b> Check one.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> At least one of the debtors and another</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Check if this claim relates to a community debt</p> <p><b>Is the claim subject to offset?</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>	<p><b>Last 4 digits of account number</b> 7761</p> <p><b>When was the debt incurred?</b> 1/2017</p> <p><b>As of the date you file, the claim is:</b> Check all that apply.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Contingent</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Unliquidated</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Disputed</p> <p><b>Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Student loans</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 001 Collection; Collecting for ORIGINAL CREDITOR: WOW CHICAGO</p> <p>Other. Specify</p>
4.5	<p><b>CREDITORS DISCOUNT &amp; A</b></p> <p>Nonpriority Creditor's Name</p> <p>415 E MAIN ST</p> <p>Number Street</p> <p>STREATOR Illinois 61364</p> <p>City State Zip Code</p> <p><b>Who incurred the debt?</b> Check one.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> At least one of the debtors and another</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Check if this claim relates to a community debt</p> <p><b>Is the claim subject to offset?</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>	<p><b>Last 4 digits of account number</b> 8786</p> <p><b>When was the debt incurred?</b> 9/2011</p> <p><b>As of the date you file, the claim is:</b> Check all that apply.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Contingent</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Unliquidated</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Disputed</p> <p><b>Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Student loans</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 001 Collection; Collecting for ORIGINAL CREDITOR: MEDICAL PAYMENT DATA</p> <p>Other. Specify</p>
4.6	<p><b>ENHANCED RECOVERY CO L</b></p> <p>Nonpriority Creditor's Name</p> <p>8014 BAYBERRY RD</p> <p>Number Street</p> <p>JACKSONVILLE Florida 32256</p> <p>City State Zip Code</p> <p><b>Who incurred the debt?</b> Check one.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> At least one of the debtors and another</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Check if this claim relates to a community debt</p> <p><b>Is the claim subject to offset?</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>	<p><b>Last 4 digits of account number</b> 8671</p> <p><b>When was the debt incurred?</b> 12/2014</p> <p><b>As of the date you file, the claim is:</b> Check all that apply.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Contingent</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Unliquidated</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Disputed</p> <p><b>Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Student loans</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 001 Collection; Collecting for ORIGINAL CREDITOR: TMOBILE</p> <p>Other. Specify</p>

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)

First Name Middle Name Last Name

**Part 2: Your NONPRIORITY Unsecured Claims - Continuation Page**

After listing any entries on this page, number them beginning with 4.5, followed by 4.6, and so forth.		Total claim
4.7	<p>People's Gas</p> <p>Nonpriority Creditor's Name</p> <p>130 E. Randolph Drive</p> <p>Number Street</p> <p>Chicago Illinois 60601</p> <p>City State Zip Code</p> <p><b>Who incurred the debt?</b> Check one.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> At least one of the debtors and another</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Check if this claim relates to a community debt</p> <p><b>Is the claim subject to offset?</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>	<p><b>Last 4 digits of account number</b> _____</p> <p><b>When was the debt incurred?</b> <u>n/a</u></p> <p><b>As of the date you file, the claim is:</b> Check all that apply.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Contingent</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Unliquidated</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Disputed</p> <p><b>Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Student loans</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other. Specify <u>Gas Bill</u></p>
4.8	<p>RENT RECOVER</p> <p>Nonpriority Creditor's Name</p> <p>220 Gerry Drive</p> <p>Number Street</p> <p>Wood Dale Illinois 60191</p> <p>City State Zip Code</p> <p><b>Who incurred the debt?</b> Check one.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> At least one of the debtors and another</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Check if this claim relates to a community debt</p> <p><b>Is the claim subject to offset?</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>	<p><b>Last 4 digits of account number</b> <u>31S1</u></p> <p><b>When was the debt incurred?</b> <u>7/2015</u></p> <p><b>As of the date you file, the claim is:</b> Check all that apply.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Contingent</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Unliquidated</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Disputed</p> <p><b>Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Student loans</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other. Specify <u>Collection; Collecting for ORIGINAL CREDITOR: 09 REO LOGIC SCATTERED SITES</u></p>
4.9	<p>TRUST REC SV</p> <p>Nonpriority Creditor's Name</p> <p>541 OTIS BOWEN DRI</p> <p>Number Street</p> <p>MUNSTER Indiana 46321</p> <p>City State Zip Code</p> <p><b>Who incurred the debt?</b> Check one.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> At least one of the debtors and another</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Check if this claim relates to a community debt</p> <p><b>Is the claim subject to offset?</b></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes</p>	<p><b>Last 4 digits of account number</b> <u>0046</u></p> <p><b>When was the debt incurred?</b> <u>1/2015</u></p> <p><b>As of the date you file, the claim is:</b> Check all that apply.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Contingent</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Unliquidated</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Disputed</p> <p><b>Type of NONPRIORITY unsecured claim:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Student loans</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other. Specify <u>Collection; Collecting for ORIGINAL CREDITOR: 10 NIPSCO</u></p>

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)  
First Name Middle Name Last Name

**Part 3: List Others to Be Notified About a Debt That You Already Listed**

5. Use this page only if you have others to be notified about your bankruptcy, for a debt that you already listed in Parts 1 or 2. For example, if a collection agency is trying to collect from you for a debt you owe to someone else, list the original creditor in Parts 1 or 2, then list the collection agency here. Similarly, if you have more than one creditor for any of the debts that you listed in Parts 1 or 2, list the additional creditors here. If you do not have additional persons to be notified for any debts in Parts 1 or 2, do not fill out or submit this page.

HARRIS & HARRIS LTD

Name

On which entry in Part 1 or Part 2 did you list the original creditor?

111 W JACKSON BLVD S-400

Number Street

Line 4.1 of (Check one):

☐ Part 1: Creditors with Priority Unsecured Claims

☒ Part 2: Creditors with Nonpriority Unsecured Claims

CHICAGO

Illinois

60604

City

State

Zip Code

Last 4 digits of account number

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)  
 First Name Middle Name Last Name

**Part 4: Add the Amounts for Each Type of Unsecured Claim**

6.

Total the amounts of certain types of unsecured claims. This information is for statistical reporting purposes only. 28 U.S.C. §159. Add the amounts for each type of unsecured claim.

		Total claims
Total claims from Part 1	6a. Domestic support obligations.	6a. \$0.00
	6b. Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government	6b. \$0.00
	6c. Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated	6c. \$0.00
	6d. Other. Add all other priority unsecured claims. Write that amount here.	6d. \$0.00
	6e. Total. Add lines 6a through 6d.	6e. \$0.00

		Total claims
Total claims from Part 2	6f. Student loans	6f. \$0.00
	6g. Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims	6g. \$0.00
	6h. Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts	6h. \$0.00
	6i. Other. Add all other nonpriority unsecured claims. Write that amount here.	6i. \$8,201.00
	6j. Total. Add lines 6f through 6i.	6j. \$8,201.00

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

**RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
CHAPTER 13 DEBTORS AND THEIR ATTORNEYS**

**(Court-Approved Retention Agreement, Use for cases filed on or after September 19, 2016)**

Chapter 13 gives debtors important rights, such as the right to keep property that could otherwise be lost through repossession or foreclosure, but Chapter 13 also puts burdens on debtors, such as the burden of making complete and truthful disclosures of their financial situation. It is important for debtors who file a Chapter 13 bankruptcy case to understand their rights and responsibilities in bankruptcy. In this connection, the advice of an attorney is often crucial. Debtors are entitled to certain services from their attorneys, but debtors also have responsibilities to their attorneys. In order to assure that debtors and their attorneys understand their rights and responsibilities in the Chapter 13 process, the judges of the Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois have approved this agreement, setting out the rights and responsibilities of both debtors in Chapter 13 and their attorneys, including how their attorneys will be paid for their services in the Chapter 13 case. By signing this agreement, debtors and their attorneys accept these responsibilities.

The Bankruptcy Code may require a debtor's attorney to provide the debtor with certain documents and agreements at the start of the representation. The terms of this court-approved agreement take the place of any conflicting provision in an earlier agreement. This agreement cannot be modified in any way by other agreements. Any provision of another agreement between the debtors and the attorney that conflicts with this agreement is void.

**A. BEFORE THE CASE IS FILED**

**THE DEBTOR AGREES TO:**

1. Discuss with the attorney the debtor's objectives in filing the case.
2. Provide the attorney with full, accurate and timely information, financial and otherwise, including properly documented proof of income.

**THE ATTORNEY AGREES TO:**

1. Personally counsel the debtor regarding the advisability of filing either a Chapter 13 or a Chapter 7 case, discuss both procedures (as well as non-bankruptcy options) with the debtor, and answer the debtor's questions.
2. Personally explain to the debtor that the attorney is being engaged to represent the debtor on all matters arising in the case, as required by Local Bankruptcy Rule and explain how and when the attorney's fees and the trustee's fees are determined and paid.
3. Personally review with the debtor and sign the completed petition, plan, statements, and schedules, as well as all amendments thereto, whether filed with the petition or later. (The schedules may be initially prepared with the help of clerical or paralegal staff of the attorney's office, but personal attention of the attorney is required for the review and signing.)
4. Timely prepare and file the debtor's petition, plan, statements, and schedules.
5. Explain to the debtor how, when, and where to make all necessary payments, including both payments that must be made directly to creditors and payments that must be made to the Chapter 13 trustee, with particular attention to housing and vehicle payments.

KS

6. Advise the debtor of the need to maintain appropriate insurance.

**B. AFTER THE CASE IS FILED**

**THE DEBTOR AGREES TO:**

1. Make the required payments to the trustee and to whatever creditors are being paid directly, or, if required payments cannot be made, to notify the attorney immediately.
2. Appear punctually at the meeting of creditors (also called the "341 meeting") with recent proof of income and a picture identification card. (If the identification card does not include the debtor's social security number, the debtor must also bring to the meeting a social security card.) The debtor must be present in time for check-in and, when the case is called, for the actual examination.
3. Notify the attorney of any change in the debtor's address or telephone number.
4. Inform the attorney of any wage garnishments or liens or levies on assets that occur or continue after the filing of the case.
5. Contact the attorney immediately if the debtor loses employment, has a significant change in income, or experiences any other significant change in financial situation (such as serious illness, marriage, divorce or separation, lottery winnings, or an inheritance).
6. Notify the attorney if the debtor is sued or wishes to file a lawsuit (including divorce.)
7. Inform the attorney if any tax refunds to which the debtor is entitled are seized or not received when due from the IRS or Illinois Department of Revenue.
8. Contact the attorney before buying, refinancing, or selling real property, and before entering into any loan agreement.
9. Supply the attorney with copies of all tax returns filed while the case is pending.

**THE ATTORNEY AGREES TO:**

1. Advise the debtor of the requirement to attend the meeting of creditors, and notify the debtor of the date, time, and place of the meeting.
2. Inform the debtor that the debtor must be punctual and, in the case of a joint filing, that both spouses must appear at the same meeting.
3. Provide knowledgeable legal representation for the debtor at the meeting of creditors (in time for check-in and the actual examination) and, unless excused by the trustee, for the confirmation hearing.

K8



4. If the attorney will be employing another attorney to attend the 341 meeting or any court hearing, personally explain to the debtor in advance, the role and identity of the other attorney and provide the other attorney with the file in sufficient time to review it and properly represent the debtor.
5. Timely submit to the Chapter 13 trustee properly documented proof of income for the debtor, including business reports for self-employed debtors.
6. Timely respond to objections to plan confirmation and, where necessary, prepare, file, and serve an amended plan.
7. Timely prepare, file, and serve any necessary statements, amended statements, and schedules and any change of address, in accordance with information provided by the debtor.
8. Monitor all incoming case information (including, but not limited to, Order Confirming Plan, Notice of Intent to Pay Claims, and 6-month status reports) for accuracy and completeness. Contact the trustee promptly regarding any discrepancies.
9. Be available to respond to the debtor's questions throughout the term of the plan.
10. Prepare, file, and serve timely modifications to the plan after confirmation, when necessary, including modifications to suspend, lower, or increase plan payments.
11. Prepare, file, and serve necessary motions to buy or sell property and to incur debt.
12. Object to improper or invalid claims.
13. Timely respond to the Chapter 13 trustee's motions to dismiss the case, such as for payment default, or unfeasibility, and to motions to increase the percentage payment to unsecured creditors.
14. Timely respond to motions for relief from stay.
15. Prepare, file, and serve all appropriate motions to avoid liens.
16. Prepare, file, and serve a notice of conversion to Chapter 7, pursuant to § 1307(a) of the Bankruptcy Code and Local Bankruptcy Rule 1017-1.
17. Provide any other legal services necessary for the administration of the case.

**C. TERMINATION OR CONVERSION OF THE CASE AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER APPROVING FEES AND EXPENSES**

1. Approved fees and expenses paid under the provisions set out below are generally not refundable in the event that the case is dismissed prior to its completion, unless the dismissal is due to a failure by the attorney to comply with the duties set out in this agreement. If such a dismissal is due to a failure by the attorney, the court may order a refund of fees on motion by the debtor.
2. If the case is dismissed after approval of the fees and expenses but before payment of all allowed fees and expenses, the order entered by the Bankruptcy Court allowing the fees and expenses is not a judgment against the debtor for the unpaid fees and expenses based on contract law or otherwise.
3. If the case is converted to a case under Chapter 7 after approval of the fees and expenses under this agreement but before the payment of all fees and expenses, the attorney will be entitled to an administrative claim in the Chapter 7 case for any unpaid fees and expenses, pursuant to § 726(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, plus any conversion fee the attorney pays on behalf of the debtor.

KS

**D. RETAINERS AND PREVIOUS PAYMENTS**

1. The attorney may receive a retainer or other payment before filing the case but may not receive fees directly from the debtor after the filing of the case. Unless the following provision is checked and completed, any retainer received by the attorney will be treated as a security retainer, to be placed in the attorney's client trust account until approval of a fee application by the court.



The attorney seeks to have the retainer received by the attorney treated as an advance payment retainer, which allows the attorney to take the retainer into income immediately. The attorney hereby provides the following further information and representations:

- (a) The special purpose for the advance payment retainer and why it is advantageous to the debtor is as follows:

Client understands that any funds that client is rendering to The Semrad Law Firm, LLC as part of the advance payment retainer shall immediately become the property of The Semrad Law Firm, LLC in exchange for a commitment by The Semrad Law Firm, LLC to provide the legal services described above. Said funds will be deposited into the main bank account owned by The Semrad Law Firm, LLC and will be used for general expense of the firm. Client further understands that it is ordinarily the client's option to deposit funds with an attorney that shall remain client's property as security for future services. However, The Semrad Law Firm, LLC does not represent clients under such a security retainer because the preparation of a bankruptcy cases requires many disparate tasks and functions for the attorney and support staff, some of which require legal expertise while other may be only ministerial in nature. Client further understands that the benefit that client is receiving under the fee arrangement is the commitment of The Semrad Law Firm, LLC to perform any and all work reasonably necessary to represent client's interest absent any extraordinary circumstance.

- (b) The retainer will not be held in a client trust account and will become property of the attorney upon payment and will be deposited into the attorney's general account;
- (c) The retainer is a flat fee for the services to be rendered during the chapter 13 case and will be applied for such services without the need for the attorney to keep detailed hourly time records for the specific services performed for the debtor;
- (d) Any portion of the retainer that is not earned or required for expenses will be refunded to the client; and
- (e) The attorney is unwilling to represent the debtor without receiving an advanced payment retainer because of the nature of the chapter 13 case, the fact that the great majority of services for such case are performed prior to its filing, and the risks associated with the representation of debtors in bankruptcy cases in general.

2. In any application for compensation, the attorney must disclose to the court any fees or other compensation paid by the debtor to the attorney for any reason within the one year before the case filing, including the date(s) any such fees were paid.

**E. CONDUCT AND DISCHARGE**

1. *Improper conduct by the attorney.* If the debtor disputes the sufficiency or quality of the legal services provided or the amount of the fees charged by the attorney, the debtor may file an objection with the court and request a hearing.

2. *Improper conduct by the debtor.* If the attorney believes that the debtor is not complying with the debtor's responsibilities under this agreement or is otherwise engaging in improper conduct, the attorney may apply for a court order allowing the attorney to withdraw from the case.

3. *Discharge of the attorney.* The debtor may discharge the attorney at any time.

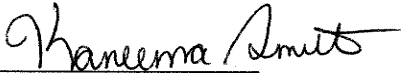
K8

**F ALLOWANCE AND PAYMENT OF ATTORNEYS' FEES AND EXPENSES**

1. Any attorney retained to represent a debtor in a Chapter 13 case is responsible for representing the debtor on all matters arising in the case unless otherwise ordered by the court. For all of the services outlined above, the attorney will be paid a flat fee of \$2,900.00
2. In addition, the debtor will pay the filing fee in the case and other expenses of \$362.00
3. Before signing this agreement, the attorney has received, \$350.00 toward the flat fee, leaving a balance due of \$2,550.00 ; and \$52.00 for expenses, leaving a balance due of \$2,912.00
4. In extraordinary circumstances, such as extended evidentiary hearings or appeals, the attorney may apply to the court for additional compensation for these services. Any such application must be accompanied by an itemization of the services rendered, showing the date, the time expended, and the identity of the attorney performing the services. The debtor must be served with a copy of the application and notified of the right to appear in court to object.

Date: 4/12/2017

Signed:

/s/ Kareema Smith

Debtor(s)

/s/ Pellumb Hoxha

Attorney for Debtor(s)

Do not sign if the fee amounts at top of this page are blank.



Local Bankruptcy Form 23c

RENT RECOVER  
220 Gerry Drive  
Wood Dale, IL, 60191

ENHANCED RECOVERY CO L  
8014 BAYBERRY RD  
JACKSONVILLE, FL, 32256

CREDIT MANAGEMENT LP  
PO Box 118288  
Carrollton, TX, 75011

CONVERGENT OUTSOURCING  
800 SW 39TH ST  
RENTON, WA, 98057

CREDITORS DISCOUNT & A  
415 E MAIN ST  
STREATOR, IL, 61364

TRUST REC SV  
541 OTIS BOWEN DRI  
MUNSTER, IN, 46321

City of Chicago - Parking and red Light Tickets  
121 N. LaSalle Street  
Chicago, IL, 60602

HARRIS & HARRIS LTD  
222 Merchandise Mart Plaza, Suite 1900  
Chicago, IL, 60654

ComEd  
3 Lincoln Centre  
c/o Sabrina Copelan  
Villa Park, IL, 60181

People's Gas  
130 E. Randolph Drive  
Chicago, IL, 60601

1C8

Debtor 1 Kareema G. Smith Case number (if known)

Part 6: Answer These Questions for Reporting Purposes

16. What kind of debts do you have? 16a. Are your debts primarily consumer debts? Consumer debts are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose."

- ☐ No. Go to line 16b.  
☒ Yes. Go to line 17.

16b. Are your debts primarily business debts? Business debts are debts that you incurred to obtain money for a business or investment or through the operation of the business or investment.

- ☐ No. Go to line 16c.  
☐ Yes. Go to line 17.

16c. State the type of debts you owe that are not consumer debts or business debts.

17. Are you filing under Chapter 7?

☒ No. I am not filing under Chapter 7. Go to line 18.

Do you estimate that after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses are paid that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors?

☐ Yes. I am filing under Chapter 7. Do you estimate that after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses are paid that funds will be available to distribute to unsecured creditors?

- ☐ No.  
☐ Yes.

18. How many creditors do you estimate that you owe?

- |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1-49 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1,000-5,000   | <input type="checkbox"/> 25,001-50,000     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 50-99           | <input type="checkbox"/> 5,001-10,000  | <input type="checkbox"/> 50,001-100,000    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 100-199         | <input type="checkbox"/> 10,001-25,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 100,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 200-999         |  |  |

19. How much do you estimate your assets to be worth?

- |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million    | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000      | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million   | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000     | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million  | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001-\$1 million   | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001-\$500 million | <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion        |

20. How much do you estimate your liabilities to be?

- |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$50,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001-\$10 million    | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001-\$1 billion     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001-\$100,000      | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001-\$50 million   | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001-\$10 billion  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001-\$500,000     | <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001-\$100 million  | <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001-\$50 billion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001-\$1 million   | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001-\$500 million | <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion        |

Part 7: Sign Below

For you

I have examined this petition, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided is true and correct.

If I have chosen to file under Chapter 7, I am aware that I may proceed, if eligible, under Chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code. I understand the relief available under each chapter, and I choose to proceed under Chapter 7.

If no attorney represents me and I did not pay or agree to pay someone who is not an attorney to help me fill out this document, I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).

I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

I understand making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

x

/s/ Kareema Smith  
Signature of Debtor 1

Executed on 4/12/2017

MM / DD / YYYY

Signature of Debtor 2

Executed on

MM / DD / YYYY